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October 8, 2020

MEMO ENDORSED

Via ECF & Email

The Honorable Katherine P. Failla United States District Judge Southern District of New York 40 Foley Square New York, New York 10007

> Re: *United States v. Dominick Lewis*, 20 Cr. 290 (KPF)

Dear Judge Failla:

I represent Mr. Lewis in the above-captioned matter. I write to respectfully request a thirty-day adjournment of the conference currently scheduled for October 16, 2020. This is the first request for an adjournment of this conference. The government has no objection to this request. If our request is granted, I further request that the Court exclude time under the Speedy Trial Act until the date of the conference. I believe that such an exclusion would be in the interests of justice as it will permit additional time for me to confer with Mr. Lewis concerning the plea offer extended by the government.

I thank the Court for its consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/

Valerie A. Gotlib

cc: all counsel of record (via ECF)

Application GRANTED. The conference scheduled for October 16, 2020, is hereby adjourned to November 16, 2020, at 9:00 a.m., with a backup time of 11:00 a.m. It is further ORDERED that time is excluded under the Speedy Trial Act between October 16, 2020, and November 16, 2020. The Court finds that the ends of justice served by excluding such time outweigh the interests of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial because it will permit defense counsel to continue to review discovery and prepare any pretrial motions and permit the parties to consider a pre-trial disposition.

October 8, 2020 Dated:

New York, New York

SO ORDERED.

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HON. KATHERINE POLK FAILLA

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE